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Amendments to the Specification:

Please amend the paragraph starting on page 8, line 28 as follows:

The host computing system 130 is accessible by consumers each having a general-purpose computer 110 as illustrated. The computer 110 may be desktop, laptop, personal digital assistant (PDA), mobile phone or an Internet-enabled appliance or the equivalent. The computer 110 supports standard communication protocols comprising Hypertext Transfer Protocol (HTTP), Multipurpose Internet Mail Extensions (MIME), Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol (TCP/IP), and Mobile IP. The CPU 111 also provides the functional support for an Internet browser or other type of graphical user interface (GUI) at the consumer display 113, a computer monitor for example, through which the consumer interacts with the host computer. The computer uses Internet browsers. Typical Internet browsers operable with the computer 110 include products sold under the trademarks of MICROSOFT® INTERNET EXPLORER®, NETSCAPE® and MOSAIC®. The I/O 112 may include a keyboard, a pointing device (e.g., a mouse, a track ball, a pen device, or the like) as well as the hardware and software necessary to support communication between the consumer and the Internet, and may include a conventional dial-up modem, cable modem, digital subscriber line (DSL) or wireless interface in conjunction with an Internet service provider. The browser typically provides a GUI having a pointer that may be maneuvered about a screen to select various graphical icons to invoke features of the Internet browser. The graphical icons may represent, for example, hyperlinks to various uniform resource locators (URL) or pull down menus, such as a file menu or a bookmark menu, for interfacing with the Internet and the Internet browser. The one or more consumer computing systems may also have electronic access to printing devices.